

*for*

25 January 1963

**MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence**

**SUBJECT: Position of the DCI**

1. This memorandum is for information.

2. In accordance with your instructions, I talked to the Bureau of the Budget about what level the DCI would be placed in by the proposed Executive Pay Act. Mr. Gerry E. Pettibone, Assistant Chief, International Division, said their office had been asked for a recommendation and had recommended the DCI be put in the same category as Under Secretaries of major departments, or what we would call category II, and the DDCI in category III. He said he did not know the final decision and referred me to Mr. C. Spencer Platt, Assistant Chief, Office of Management and Organization. Mr. Platt was under specific instructions not to discuss the bill, but after some back and forth there is no question in my mind that the DCI's position is still in category II and will remain there unless the President directs otherwise.

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